

Notice of Proposed No Further Action

for
Taylor Bus Company
1175 Sebastopol Road
Santa Rosa, California

Case No.1TSO271
Sonoma County

Notice Posting Date: **April 28, 2022**

End of Comment Period: June 26, 2022

A soil and groundwater investigation was conducted at the above-referenced site and a release of petroleum hydrocarbons was documented. Although some contamination remains, this site meets the conditions for closure under the State Water Resources Control Board's "Low-Threat Underground Storage Tank Case Closure Policy." Regional Water Board staff proposes that no further work be required. The purpose of this notice is to inform interested parties, including owners of nearby land, that the case is being considered for closure, and to invite public comment on this proposed decision.

Problem Description

In 1950, five gasoline underground storage tanks (USTs), and one diesel UST were installed at the site. The USTs were removed from the site in 1985, and a follow-up investigation showed that the tanks had released fuel to soil and groundwater. In 2001 over 10,000 tons of contaminated soil and over 1.6 million gallons of impacted groundwater were removed from the site. Additional remediation techniques were used to extract residual fuel from the soil. Groundwater monitoring has shown contamination in the immediate vicinity of the site is still present, but the contamination is no longer spreading. No water supply wells were impacted by this contamination.

Proposed Action

Case closure is proposed. This site meets the conditions for closure under the State Water Resources Control Board's "[Low-Threat Underground Storage Tank Case Closure Policy](#)."

Unless significant comments are received or new information is presented regarding this site, Regional Water Board staff plans to proceed with the closure process upon conclusion of the comment period. Please contact Tom Magney at (707) 543-7128, (707) 872-7287, or at tom.magney@waterboards.ca.gov.

with any questions or comments. Written comments may also be submitted to:

North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board
Attention: Tom Magney
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Santa Rosa, CA 95403

Regional Water Board site records comprise both a paper file and an electronic file. Beginning in 2005, select file material was uploaded to the State Water Resources Control Board's GeoTracker website and not necessarily included in the paper file. All new file material after 2014 is retained only electronically. [The GeoTracker records](#) are available at

https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/profile_report.asp?global_id=T0609700202

The paper file ("Taylor Bus Company", Case No. 1TSO271) may be reviewed at the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board office from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Please be aware that the current precautions surrounding the spread of COVID-19 may impact this schedule. Appointments are necessary and can be arranged by calling (707) 576-2220.